

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): <b>Lee et al.</b>  Application Serial No.: <b>10/825,968</b>  Filed: <b>April 15, 2004</b>  Title: <b>SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MARKING TEXTILES WITH NUCLEIC ACIDS</b>	Group Art Unit: <b>1792</b>  Examiner: <b>Jolley, Kirsten</b>  Conf. No.: <b>8220</b>
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**AMENDMENTS (37 CFR 1.111)**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir/Madam:

This Response is related to the Office Action mailed April 30, 2009.

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